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Applicant (s)

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Title DEVICE FOR OPENING AND CLOSING INJECTION NOZZLES IN AN INJECTION MOULDING TOOL

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[X] Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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